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"Have you heard the song a humming
"Spring is coming! Spring is coming!
For the robin has been noted;
He has registered and voted;
Winter's passed—We'll soon go maying!
Drygoods stores are all displaying
Such a line of summer 'things' as
Laces, Linens, Lawns and Ginghams,
Yet—oh! Duffers, Friends and Lubbers,
Don't forget to wear your rubbers!
Gentle spring brings gentle showers;
Wherefore cling to your galoshes!
Spring is coming—flower intended—
Winter's fled—as I have mentioned;
Yet I give this word of warning:
Wear your rubbers every morning!
Wear them evenings, and endeavor
To forget to wear them—never!
Put them on her Cinderella!
Also carry both umbrellas!
Though we boast like brash Goliath
"Spring is coming! Winter flyeth!"
Yet wear your rubbers, wear them always,
And if needs must—in the hallways
Some one else's you may borrow
And return them on the morrow.
But 'till June comes, dry and cheery,
Wear your rubbers! Honey Deary!"

Kickers' Row Now Opens.

Camp & Son's exhibition chairs, placed in front of their store, are to-day well occupied by gentlemen of leisure; gentlemen of business with a few moments for rest from their labors and gentlemen who love gossip. This bright spring day and those well occupied chairs remind us that spring is really again here. By the way Mr. Camp, senior, informs us that he is painting a sign which will bear these words, "The Grumbler's Chair," and on the back of an easy rocker this legend will be placed that there may be no mistake. He has appointed a resident of North Dixon as Chair Master General, to occupy this seat when not absent at his meals. Mr. Camp took the idea from THE EVENING TELEGRAPH'S "Kickers' Column," though he does not intend to run opposition to this paper except in a limited sort of a way.

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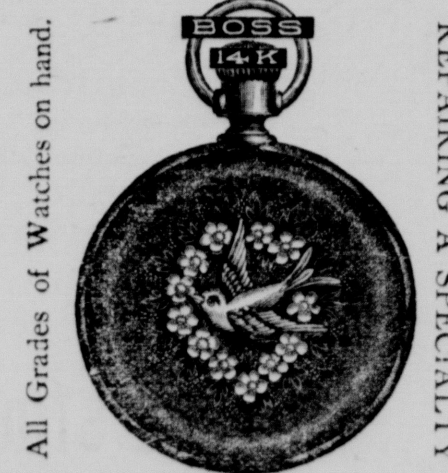
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STREETS WILL BE MACADAMIZED.

West Dixon will be the place to live. Come early to get your first pick. They will be sold cheap to parties wanting to build.

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The play to-night is great.

—Easter falls on the 17th of April.

—O. H. Brown went east on business to-day.

—Leonard Andrus went to Chicago this morning.

Play to-night will please everybody at Opera House.

—Leander Hess left to-day for an extended trip.

—Miss Emma Earle is visiting friends in Rockford.

—John L. Sullivan parades himself at Freeport this evening.

—Knights of Pythias meet to-night to do work in all degrees.

—THE TELEGRAPH is prepared to print tickets as the law directs.

—C. J. Rosbrook returns to-day from a business trip to Chicago.

—John Daughenbaugh, a student in this city, has returned to Freeport.

—Vincent Adams and Carl Weibezahn are spending a few days in Maquoketa, Iowa.

—Prof. Webster is down from Rochelle on a visit, there being a school vacation there this week.

—Freeport papers still profess to believe that the Amboy railroad shops will be moved to Freeport.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church give a sociable this evening at the residence of J. V. Thomas, North Dixon.

—Whether or not you vote often it is better to vote early at town meeting this year or you may "get left." The polls close at five o'clock.

—Messrs. S. Gantz, W. E. Skiff and Ellis Hampton have resumed their trips for the Deere and Grand Detour Plow Cos., respectively.

—Rev. J. M. Walsh, of Belvidere, formerly of St. Patrick's church in this city, is here on a visit and last night attended a meeting of the Catholic Forerunners.

—"Cool as a cucumber" is scientifically correct. Investigation shows that this vegetable has a temperature of one degree below that of the surrounding atmosphere.

—The corner-stone of General Grant's monument in New York will be laid by President Harrison April 27—the seventieth anniversary of the dead hero's birth.

—The best interests of our readers will be subserved by watching our advertising columns. Among the changes to-day are Truman & Co., J. A. Yates and Todd & Son.

—Postmaster General Wanamaker received a fifty dollar Confederate note from the postmaster-general of Italy and was requested to cash it—but it was returned.

—Advertisers appreciate the large circulation THE EVENING TELEGRAPH enjoys. In to-day's issue on first page, will be found the new standing advertisement of Frank E. Wright.

—Real Estate Agent, Geo. C. Loveland closed a sale to-day for S. G. and E. A. Patrick, of the west half of block 118. This desirable property was bought by Mr. F. E. Stuteley, who will improve it at once, laying it out into choice building lots; price paid \$800.

—We give in this issue Hon. L. W. Mitchell's letter of withdrawal as a candidate for the general assembly. He does not wish to go into the scramble for the nomination, a very natural inclination for any educated and polished gentleman of a retiring disposition.

—The Bulletin is authority for the statement that Al. Prescott, a farmer near Mendota, struck gas by boring as a lady spiritualist directed and reached the coveted illuminating fluid at exactly fifty-six feet as the lady medium said he would.

—We understand that the proprietors of the Rock Falls paper mill took a liking to Henry Crabtree of this city and have engaged him on a salary to take charge of the works. We regret to part with the gentleman and his family.

—We have received a most elegant sample lot of school and college commencement programs for the approaching graduating season. If you wish to see the most elegant cards ever shown in this city call at this office and inspect our line of samples.

—The authorities at Sterling had a pond caused by a depression in the center of First avenue that city, filled with crushed stone recently. Some one had placed a stick at the edge of the hole on which was a sign that read, "No fishing allowed in this pond."

—The Sterling Gazette announces the withdrawal of Charles Worthington from its chair editorial. While we regret to part with neighbor Worthington we believe that his successor, Joseph R. Adams, who has heretofore conducted the local department, will fill the bill.

—A son of William Seavey, of Prairieville, while driving a wagon near the depot at Sterling yesterday was knocked out by a switch engine. The iron horse struck the wagon, one of the mule team was knocked over and the young man thrown to the ground with considerable force, but not materially injured.

SILVER WEDDING.

Our Popular County Clerk Celebrates.

The Thompson mansion in Dement Place was ablaze with lights last evening, on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Thompson. The worthy couple were married in Paw Paw, March 28th, 1867, and resided in that town until the election of Mr. Thompson as County Clerk. About seventy guests were present and all enjoyed themselves hugely. About nine o'clock the hostess called on the Rev. S. Earnsey, who made an address of welcome and congratulation and announced the following program:

Poem, Mrs. Robert Smith.
Recitation, Fred Clarke.
Song, Mrs. Worthington.
Poem, Prof. Williamson.
Address, Rev. Geo. W. Skilling.

The presents were numerous and valuable and came from friends in Chicago and towns in Lee county. At the conclusion of the program the guests sat down to a bountiful old-fashioned wedding supper, which proved conclusively that the host and hostess had inherited the generous spirit of their forefathers. The party broke up about midnight and all departed for their homes feeling happy in the fact that they had been enabled to help this worthy couple to pass the twenty-fifth mile stone in the journey of married life.

Potatoes For Rheumatics.

We understand that our fellow citizen, Robert B., came very near having a peck of trouble down in Central Illinois on account of the fact that he appeared to have nearly a quarter peck of potatoes in his pockets. However, Bob came out all right after explanations and verifications through telegrams from Chicago, showing that the potato business was all legitimate. He visited friends in the great city and there learned that potatoes carried in the pantaloons pocket is a sovereign remedy for rheumatism. He was given a couple of small potatoes but Robert insisted that if potatoes were good for rheumatics he wanted large tubers and enough of them to knock the pesky aches endways. He didn't believe in homeopathic doses of potatoes, Robert filled his pants pockets with large potatoes, though his wife told him that the load gave him the appearance of one deformed. He was also informed that the doctors would follow him around with a bottle of chloroform and carving knife looking for a chance to remove a tumor, but Robert didn't care. He was tired of rheumatism. When found in a strange land among strangers with pockets full of potatoes there was, very naturally, an investigation instituted. Dr. Steel, of this city, replied to a telegram that if no smoked hams were found on his person he was undoubtedly all right. As for potatoes, every body up here with rheumatism carry potatoes in their pockets. Without being loaded with potatoes a Dixon man can't go off—on a visit, was the assurance sent down for Bob's assistance. So he was cleared of all suspicion. He still carries potatoes in his pockets and finds much relief in them; is much better; is getting lumber joined; in fact growing young—potatoes.

Politics at Springfield.

Our former fellow citizen, W. J. Barnes writes from the State Capital as follows: Politics are getting very warm, and the men portion of the community are staying out later and later as the season advances. I myself went home the other evening a little late, and I had to tell three political lies before I was allowed to go to sleep, and I ain't sure but what the next family caucus will find me guilty of lie number four.

Governor Fifer seems to be having the hardest row to hoe in his search for the nomination, and Pavey has opponents that may give him trouble before the battle is over. All indications point to a walk over for Secretary Pearson, and he deserves it. He has made a good officer and the people will never regret his nomination and election.

A Quiet Wedding.

I. S. Doty and Miss Lucinda Sweet, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mulnix and Miss Clara Sandford, came down from Polo this morning. On their arrival they proceeded to the Lutheran Parsonage, where Rev. J. M. Ruthrauff performed the ceremony that made Mr. Doty and Miss Sweet man and wife. The TELEGRAPH extends congratulations to the bride and groom.

—M. A. Mihills, western agent for the Record Manufacturing company of Cincinnati, Ohio, in an interview this morning showed a representative of THE TELEGRAPH a sheet of American tin. The gentleman is well posted on the subject and stated that the mill was turning out five hundred boxes of plate a week, and in the near future would increase their output to five hundred boxes per day. Tinsmiths in this city pronounce this tin equal if not superior to the best grade of Welsh tin plate. Mr. Mihills has taken a number of orders in Dixon, as the price is lower than the imported tin, which proves conclusively that all American tin plate makers want is a fair show and they will in a short time control the markets of the United States.

Duffin's Bulletin of "bed rock" prices on wall paper and paints, borders and window shades:
45-cent wall paper for 30 cents.
48-cent wall paper for 29 cents.
35-cent wall paper for 22 cents.
38-cent wall paper for 15 cents.
30-cent wall paper for 12 cents.
15-cent wall paper for 9 cents.
10-cent wall paper for 6 cents.
8-cent wall paper for 4 cents.
5-cent wall paper for 3 cents.
15 cents per can for mixed paints.
W. D. DUFFIN,
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FOR SALE.

The brick house and large lot, formerly the home of Joseph Rhodes. This is a fine house with a large lot and plenty of fruit, barn, out houses, etc., etc. Will be sold for less than cost of improvements. Price, \$3,500.

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Extra Good Cur Kid Button Shoe, \$1.69. Worth \$2.75.
A Big line of Carpets, all new patterns. Also Mattings.
Heavy, Fine, Unbleached Sheet, 9 yds. at 16c y'd. Worth 25c.

Closing Out Prices in Dress Goods.

— NOW IS YOUR TIME TO SAVE MONEY. —

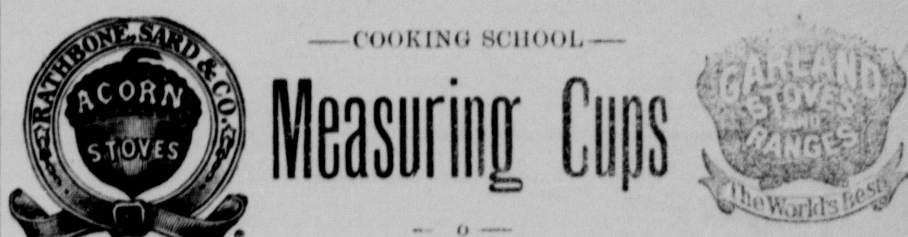
Sugar Still Cheap at the Advance.

22 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar for \$1.
McLaughlin 4 x Coffee, 19c per pound.
A Keg of good Syrup for \$1.30.
Good Lemons, 15c. per dozen.
Pure Maple Syrup, 75c. per gallon.

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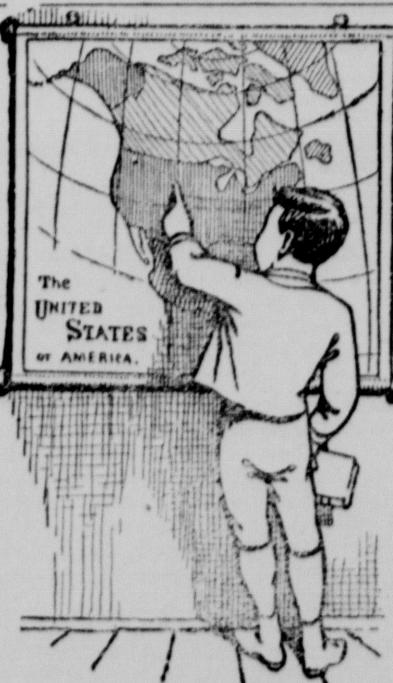
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12 Pounds Best California Evaporated Peaches for \$1.
15 Pounds Best California Evaporated Apricots for \$1.
20 Pounds of Ondara Layer Raisins for \$1.

and New England Peanut Taffy,

15c. Per Pound at I. B. Countryman's



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If you have a House, Lot, or any other Property to sell or exchange, list it with John M. Julien. He will sell and make a profit in our motto. For particulars call at my Barber Shop on Galena street, opposite Post Office.
JOHN M. JULIEN, Dixon

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LOTS No. 87 and 88 in Fargo's addition at a bargain. Inquire of J. H. Morris & Son.

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GIRL to do general house work. 43-1st St. R. BEIER, 25 First Street.

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Cards, 1 50 per doz

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City Steam Laundry,
MAIN ST., WEST OF PEORIA.

BLAND'S BILL DEAD.
The Missouri Silver Leader Gives Up the Fight.
DIED FOR WANT OF THE "CLOTURE."

Crisp Declines to Agree to Such a Rule
Unless Demanded by a Majority of the House Democrats, and That Is Not Forthcoming—Salisbury's Last Note Clears the Behring Sea Horizon of War Clouds—Gen. Boynton Tells Who Gave Away the Secrets of Executive Sessions.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Speaker Crisp rang the knell of the free silver movement yesterday. He told several representatives that no rule for "cloture" would be reported unless a petition signed by a majority of the Democrats of the house was presented asking him for such a rule. As a number of free coinage Democrats will not sign such a petition and as the majority in favor of the Bland bill if a direct vote were taken could be counted on the fingers of one's hand—if indeed, there was a majority at all—it was evident that the speaker's dictum was a death blow to the measure, and such proved to be the case. After a consultation with some of his supporters Bland decided to endeavor to get the requisite number of names to a petition. But on further consideration the Bland men decided that they would withdraw the petition and give up the fight.

Thirty-five Opposed to "Cloture."
The anti-silver men circulated the report that thirty-five silver Democrats had refused to sign the petition, and this had the effect of keeping many of those who had heretofore supported the bill and program from putting their names to the paper. The Bland men were much discouraged by this falling away in their numbers, and it was after they began to see how large the defection was that they decided to withdraw the petition. Bland said yesterday afternoon that he had given up the fight, and would make no further attempt to bring the bill to a vote. Speaking for Bland and the free silver men, Pierce of Tennessee said: "We will not push the matter further, but will let the committee on rules assume the responsibility for the defeat of the bill before the people of the country."

Charging Crisp with Bad Faith.
There is much ill feeling expressed by the silver men on account of Speaker Crisp's stand, as they claim that by deciding against reporting a cloture rule unless supported by a majority of his party he has broken his word given to Bland, Pierce, Stone of Kentucky and others. Bland said yesterday afternoon that Thursday night, just before he moved to adjourn the house, and thus lost the support of the special order for voting on his bill, he had a consultation with Speaker Crisp on the best course to pursue in order to save the bill from defeat, and that Crisp assured him that if he moved an adjournment the committee on rules would bring in another special order providing for a direct vote on the bill and pending amendments and also a provision for cloture.

Can't Understand the Speaker.
Satisfied with this Bland says he moved to adjourn, and next day under the guidance and advice of the speaker drafted the resolution which he introduced setting apart yesterday for a vote on the bill, and also providing for cloture. Crisp, assured him, said Bland, that he would vote for this order in the committee on rules, and that it would undoubtedly be brought in. In view of these assurances Bland thinks that the speaker's present attitude is inconsistent and hard to explain, and he says he cannot understand why Crisp went back on the promises he gave to himself and the other gentlemen mentioned.

Wants His Party Behind Him.
When the speaker was asked concerning the matter he said: "It is true I have taken the position that unless assurances are given me that a majority of the Democratic members will vote for a cloture rule I will vote in the committee on rules against its adoption. I think I am right in assuming this position. I stated in caucus that I would not make changes in the rules or bring in any new form of procedure unless I received the support of my party, and it is this position that I am assuming now."

THE THREATENED WAR IS OFF.
Salisbury's Reply Gives Much Satisfaction to the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The threatened war between this country and Great Britain is off. Such was the opinion in the senate yesterday based on the reply of Salisbury cabled from London. The reply is regarded as a very graceful backdown on the part of the British premier. President Harrison and several members of his cabinet during the day considered Lord Salisbury's reply and last evening it was said officially that the communication gives much satisfaction and gratification to this government. The document was transmitted to the senate by the president shortly after noon and was the principal subject of discussion in the executive session which followed. The president's response to Lord Salisbury will be presented to the cabinet today before it is transmitted to Sir Julian Pauncefote and may not be delivered to him before tomorrow.

What Was Done in the Senate.
When the senate met in executive session yesterday afternoon the Salisbury note was read, and Sherman made another appeal for the ratification of the treaty without restriction. He said that Lord Salisbury's reply showed that he had receded from his position, and that the treaty could safely be ratified without fear that the modus vivendi would not be renewed. Then George took the floor with a carefully prepared speech, in which he urged the ratification of the treaty, and was very warm in his endorsement of the president's course in the matter. Morgan and others followed in the matter of ratification, and the opinion in favor thereof seemed unanimous.

England's Navy on the Scene.
Naval officers are speculating freely on the possibilities which the imbrolio result in war. Their comments are of course colored by their desire to see the United States equipped with a good navy. It must be said in reference to Uncle Sam's chances at sea that his views are decidedly pessimistic. They say that England has now three men-of-war in the North Pacific, and it would take her but a few weeks at most to rendezvous her Chinese, Japanese, and Australian squadrons in those waters. Only one of the three vessels now there is regarded as formidable by our naval men, but she is

so large that our heaviest cruiser would be but a pleasure craft alongside of her, and England owns a dozen just such men-of-war within easy distance of the theater of possible hostilities.

The Dangerous Wasp.
The Wasp, the name of this vessel. She is heavily armored with the most recent plate, armed with four 22-ton guns, six 6-inch guns, eight rapid fire and ten Gatling or Hotchkiss guns, and has two torpedo tubes and four carriages for the purpose of exploding the Whitehead torpedoes. She is beyond doubt the best equipped man-of-war in the matter of guns in the world. Her sister ship, the Imperator, of the same size, has as large guns, but not as many of them. A commander in the navy said the Wasp could, as he expressed it, "lick any three ships we have all at once, and not have much of a fight either."

A Couple We Could Lick.
The other two vessels in the squadron, the Champion and Melpomene, however, would be easy prey for our ships, as they are unarmored. The latter is built of steel, but not thick enough to withstand the big guns of the Baltimore or New York. She is rated as a third-class cruiser. Her guns consist of six 6-inch, breech-loading rifles weighing five tons each, ten rapid firing and three Hotchkiss guns. The batteries of the Melpomene and Yorktown are almost identical. The Champion is superior to the Melpomene for fighting purposes, as her battery is very heavy for her class.

IT'S THE SENATORS WHO BLAB.
Gen. Boynton Explains How Executive Secrets Got Out.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—General H. V. Boynton, the veteran correspondent, writing about the leakage of executive secrets, about which the senate is now so concerned, says: "The proceedings of the executive sessions become known simply and solely because senators divulge them. If senators should reform there would never be a word made public except what was guessed at. Of course, much of the matter which appears in the press drifts around at second-hand from senators. But the primary disclosure is always from a senator, and more frequently than any other way directly from a senator to a correspondent."

Cold Every Day Facts.
"There is no mistake in these statements and no exaggeration about them. It is simply the cold, every day fact of year in and year out of the senatorial sessions. Every correspondent of long service here will confirm it. The fact is that correspondents universally recognize the obligations under which the senate officers are to the senate and do not approach them with forbidden questions about executive proceedings. Beyond question if the senate should decide to expel all who were disclosed by an investigation as having made known executive secrets and should then call the correspondents and the latter should immediately find itself not only without a quorum, but without a numerous minority, unless it rescinded the order to expel."

Silence Saves the Senators.
"Nothing but the refusal of correspondents to answer saves the senate for a day when it orders investigations. At the last of this kind members of the committee on investigations asked questions which they would never have ventured to if they had not been entirely confident that they would not be answered. If those senators who are growing restive over being called up by self-appointed mentors to be rapped over the knuckles or to have their palms blistered and their ears cuffed will drop around on their older newspaper friends they can easily gather sufficient ammunition to reduce the number of schoolmasters in the senate to a minimum."

The Raun Investigation.
WASHINGTON, March 29.—The Raun investigation was resumed yesterday. The principal points brought out were that Raun had borrowed money from G. N. Lockwood, a pension attorney, who in turn had obtained it from the National Metropolitan bank as Raun had not got the loan there because the president Thompson, was "out" with Raun, who had refused to appoint to office one of Thompson's proteges. There was no condition attached to the loan except that it should be repaid, which it was. Major Barker denied that any discrimination was made in pension cases. Thomas Fawcett, a discharged employee of the pension bureau, said he was discharged because he had been seen in company with newspaper correspondents, and that Raun had prevented his appointment in the war department. He also charged that Pension Attorney Lemon's cases were always attended to promptly.

Proceedings in Congress in Brief.
WASHINGTON, March 29.—The senate yesterday recommitted a bill to give government employees in the bureau of engraving and printing and navy yards thirty days leave of absence with pay, after amending the bill out of sight by tacking to it a stipulation that its provisions should apply to every other employee by the government whether hired by the year, month or week, or the day. The bill authorizing the Chicago, Peoria & Illinois railway to bridge the Illinois river near Havana, Ill., was passed. Executive session was held.

The house consumed the entire day in considering bills reported from the committee on the District of Columbia, several of which were passed, and then adjourned.

The Leave of Absence Question.
WASHINGTON, March 29.—Yesterday the senate discussed a bill giving leave of absence with pay for thirty days every year to employees of the bureau of engraving and printing, and it developed that senators thought there could be too much of a good thing. Hale said that the employees of one government office or department were as much entitled to leaves of the kind as any, and moved that the act should apply to all government employees, of whatever class. The bill was adopted, but later the bill was recommitted.

Cutting Off the Veterans' Grog.
WASHINGTON, March 29.—Broderick of Kansas introduced in the house yesterday a bill prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor on any land belonging to a National Military home for disabled soldiers or sailors and making such offense punishable by a fine not exceeding \$500 or by imprisonment for six months.

Peele Confirmed as Judge.
WASHINGTON, March 29.—The senate in secret session has confirmed Stanton J. Peele, of Indiana, judge of the court of claims.

Archbishop Corrigan Takes Sides.
NEW YORK, March 29.—Archbishop Corrigan has given his support to the National Federation of America, the recently founded organization proposing the establishment of home rule for Ireland.

SLAVERY OUTDONE.
Startling Story of a Negro Railway Laborer.
AN ATROCIOUS STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Workmen Brutally Beaten and Guarded Like Convicts—One Boss Killed by His Victims and Three of the Latter Shot to Death—A Narrative That Wants Investigating—Gretna, La., the Scene of a Bloody Race Fight—Five White Men Wounded and a Negro Leader Killed.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., March 29.—The Post-Express publishes a special dispatch from Lyons, N. Y., giving an account of alleged suffering and brutal treatment of the laborers employed on the New Railroad. In the interview Samuel Jackson, a negro from the south stated: "One day while we were at work one of the bosses told an Italian to shovel snow. The man had been handling a pick and had broken the handle. The Italian did not understand the order and the boss picked up the handle and struck the Italian across the right arm, breaking the arm in two places, near the wrist and about three inches farther up."

Results in Four Murders.
"The Italian screamed with pain, but the boss compelled him to shovel snow all the rest of that day with one hand while he was suffering the greatest pain. That night about fifty of these Italians got hold of that boss and cut his throat until the head was nearly severed from the body, and the next morning they ran away after being let out of their shanty and the guards followed after them with rifles and shot three dead and long them in one shed near where they were working. The Italian that had his arm broken was shot the next morning while in the shanty after the others had gone to work and his body was hung up in front of the shanty. We saw it there that night when we came back from work."

Negroes Brutally Treated.
"One day I said that I could not stand the cold, and was going back south. One of the bosses ripped out an oath, and said he would like to see me try it out, and after I had to work harder than the rest and was given the heaviest work to do. Some days we worked for ten straight hours without anything to eat, and at night had to move our shanty further along as the work progressed. Several negroes did escape while I was there. Quite a number froze to death, some had their feet and hands badly frozen, and several who had tried to escape were shot and hung up for warning to the rest of us."

Overpowered the Guards.
When asked how he managed to escape he said: "One morning a gang of fifty of us went on ahead of the rest nearly a mile. There were two guards with us armed with Winchester. We made a rush for the two guards, bound them, tied them to a tree securely, and taking their guns we ran away. We had three small pieces of bread and we lived upon that for four days until we got to a camp of some hunters who gave us some whisky and treated us very kindly, also giving us clothing and enough food to last a couple of days. We walked from village to village until we got to Onedia. Since then we have got lifts from acquaintances, and by riding in empty cars expect to get to Buffalo, and from there home."

RACE WAR IN LOUISIANA.
Five White Men Wounded and One Negro Killed.

NEW ORLEANS, March 29.—Gretna, a small town just opposite this city, was the scene Sunday of a conflict between parties of whites and negroes, the result being the serious wounding of five white men and the killing of the leader of the negroes. Serious trouble between the races existed in this vicinity two years ago, when a number of persons were killed, and indications are now ripe for a renewal of hostilities. Sunday a party of white men went from Gretna to Harvey's canal to fish. Shot the Leader to Death.

They became involved there in a quarrel with a party of negroes headed by one Jack Tillman, during which a number of shots were exchanged resulting in the wounding of five of the whites. When the whites returned with their wounded to Gretna there was great excitement, and in the evening a party of negroes were formed, who proceeded to the residence of Tillman and riddled him with bullets. The party then visited the negro quarters at Harvey's canal, but the inhabitants had taken the alarm and fled. Further trouble is expected.

ANOTHER ALLEGED BOODLER.
A Member of the Chicago School Board on the List.

CHICAGO, March 29.—Without a dissenting vote the grand jury yesterday afternoon decided upon presenting a true bill against another public official and the indictment will bear the name of Millard B. Herley. The charge will be that of soliciting a bribe, and as it is a misdemeanor, inasmuch as no cash is claimed to have passed between the parties to the alleged transaction, Mr. Herley is not confronted with a possible sojourn at Joliet.

Wanted Boodle for a Contract.
The chief witnesses were M. B. and Fred M. Bailey, of the Smead Warning and Ventilating company. They testified that Herley wanted \$500 to obtain a contract for them. Mr. Herley says that the story is false, and that he will be heard in other courts than the one that tries the boodle cases—in other words that a libel suit will help elucidate the matter.

Train Wreckers in Alabama.
BIRMINGHAM, Ala., March 29.—At 1 o'clock yesterday morning passenger train No. 4 on the Louisville and Nashville, bound for Cincinnati, ran into four cross ties placed on the trestle five miles north of Birmingham, and would have been wrecked had not the train slowed up. While the obstruction was being removed a flagman went back to guard the rear of the train when two robbers fired four times at him. None of the shots took effect. The miscreants fled on horses.

Blew Himself Up with Dynamite.
KINGSTON, N. M., March 29.—Horace McChristian, representing Benham, Turner & Co., wholesale liquor dealers of Chicago, committed suicide in a tunnel near here yesterday morning. He attached a fuse to a stick of giant powder, lighted it and placed the stick in his mouth. The entire upper portion of the body was shattered. Dependency over financial matters is supposed to have caused the suicide.

A RELIGIOUS MANIAC'S FREAK.
He Conceives the Idea of Crucifying Himself and Tries It.

BERLIN, March 29.—Near Koenigsberg, east Prussia, a man named Puschke recently crucified himself under the impression that he ought to die in the same manner as the Savior. Puschke was until recently a harmless person, but became a religious monomaniac through the teachings of a preacher who had been creating considerable excitement in east Prussia. Puschke attended religious meetings some weeks ago in which the death of Christ was described with much realism.

Nailed Himself to the Cross.
Puschke conceived the idea that his sins could best be atoned for by submitting to the same form of expiation. He procured some stout cord and tied his own legs in such a way that it would be very difficult if not impossible to raise himself after he had lain down. What he did afterwards can only be judged from his condition when found, as no one was present at the horrible affair. His feet had been fastened with heavy nails to a board. Then lying on his back he had hammered a nail through his left hand with the right, nailing the left hand firmly.

Has a Chance to Live.
The right hand remained free, and in this the maniac took a knife and repeatedly stabbed himself in the breast. He became unconscious from pain and loss of blood, and was in this condition when his wife returned. She called for help, and it took great exertion to pull out the nails and release the victim. He was bathed in blood, and was at first supposed to be dead, but gradually recovered consciousness. While his wounds are of a most serious character it is believed that they are not necessarily fatal.

LONDON EDITORIAL IDEAS.
Comments on the Situation in the Behring Sea Case.

LONDON, March 29.—The newspapers take different views of Lord Salisbury's Behring Sea dispatches, and there is a similar diversity of public sentiment as expressed in the parliament lobbies and other places. The expression of the great majority is that Lord Salisbury's attitude assures a peaceful settlement of the difficulty, and that with anything of like fairness on the part of the Washington government the question will be amicably adjusted.

The St. James' Gazette, Conservative, expresses a hope that not even the exigencies of the presidential election will induce the United States to reject the last handsome offers of Lord Salisbury.

Harrison's "Bellicose Buncombe."
The Evening News says that President Harrison, with all his bellicose buncombe will scarcely decline proposals so reasonable to the United States.

The Times says: "Lord Salisbury proposed several methods to make the award of the arbiters retrospective, all of which have been rejected with scant courtesy and often scant logic by the American negotiators. If neither of the equitable modes which Lord Salisbury has now offered are accepted it will be difficult to resist the inference that America has remarkable little confidence in her case."

ANITA WRITES TO LUCKY BALDWIN.
The Millionaire's Daughter Asks His Forgiveness.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 29.—Anita Baldwin and her husband returned from their honeymoon today and will live in retirement in this city until they learn what Lucky Baldwin will do in the matter. The girl has written her father a long letter, telling all the facts and begging his forgiveness. Her friends say that the Elder Baldwin is sure to be touched by her appeal, as she is the only human being for whom he cares and that he will forgive her. They also predict that George will be placed in a good position in the hotel. George Baldwin was expected at his desk in the county clerk's office yesterday, but he did not appear. His salary here is but \$50 per month, but George is full of assurance, and thinks he and Anita can live comfortably on that amount should her father prove flirty and unrelenting.

Identified the Wrong Corpse.
POTTSVILLE, Pa., March 29.—Several days ago James N. Guthrie, a prominent Baptist divine, received intelligence of the killing of his son Luther on the Pennsylvania railroad at Johnstown. The mother went on and identified the supposed remains of her son and had the same brought to this place and with due ceremony interred on Saturday. It now transpires that Guthrie is still alive, a letter written on Saturday having been received yesterday morning. It is not known yet whose body was interred on Saturday.

Had a Row with Socialists.
PARIS, March 29.—A scene of much disorder was caused by socialists Sunday evening at a church in the suburb of Belleville. During the services a number of socialists present shouted "Viva la commune," "Abas Jesuites." A policeman ejected some of the disturbers and the gas lights were turned out. But the remaining socialists lighted candles and lamps which they had brought with them. The priests by earnest appeal succeeded in preserving order.

An English Opinion of Whitman.
LONDON, March 29.—The Pall Mall Gazette, referring to the death of Walt Whitman, calls him the "Poet of Democracy," adding: "It is a fitting tribute to turn from American politics to a treatment of a trumpery squabble of years regarding the catching of seals to the better expression of the genius of the United States by the author of 'Leaves of Grass' and 'Democratic Vistas.'"

Bleeding from Nine Wounds.
MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 29.—Miss Tate was found in her room on Jones avenue yesterday bleeding from nine knife and razor wounds. She said that Sam Allen, a negro, entered her room and with out any provocation began to cut her with a razor. He then dropped the razor and began to stab her with a butcher knife. The woman died at noon and Allen can not be found.

Killed His Friend and Suicided.
SLAUGHTER, Wash., March 29.—Mike Crowley, a bartender, shot and killed Dick Hein, a farmer, late Sunday night. After realizing what he had done Crowley shot himself three times in the head and died almost instantly. The men were good friends. The tragedy was the result of a drunken quarrel.

Comedian Rooney Dead.
NEW YORK, March 29.—Pat Rooney, the Irish comedian, died at 2:30 yesterday afternoon at 103 East Tenth street. Rooney had been suffering for some time with pleurisy pneumonia, had been brought here from Wilmington, Del., for treatment.

Fail to do their Duty
Everybody has at times failed to do their duty towards themselves. Hundreds of lady readers suffer from sick headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, and female troubles. Let them follow the example of Mrs. H. Herbecker, Stevens Point, Wis., who for five years suffered greatly from Nervous Prostration and sleeplessness, tried physicians and different medicines without success. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine caused sound sleep every night and she is feeling like a new person. Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, Laramie City, Wyoming, who tried all other remedies, declares that after three weeks' use of the Nervine for Headache, Nervous Prostration, etc., she was entirely relieved. Sold by Tillson & Hayden. Trial Bottle Free.

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THINGS POLITICAL.

Iowa Anti-Prohibition Republicans Talk in Vain.

NO CHANGE IN POLICY PROBABLE.

A Legislative Committee Meets the Anti-Prohibitionists. But Gives Them No Encouragement—Representative Bynum Criticizes Hill's Method of Campaigning and Declares for Cleveland—Gov. McKinley Emphatically Refuses to Be a Candidate—Fifer's Success at Springfield—A Silver Convention.

DES MOINES, March 29.—A convention of anti-prohibition Republicans representing the larger cities of the state was held here yesterday for the purpose of influencing the legislature to pass the Hatch local option bill, which has already passed the senate. About 100 representative business men and professional men attended. At the morning session a large committee, headed by Judge Wright, of Council Bluffs, was appointed to meet a committee from the Republicans of the house. The committees met at noon. Judge Wright, the leading speaker for the anti-prohibitionists, insisted that the anti-prohibition Republicans held the balance of power in the state, and should be recognized. The house committee would give no encouragement.

Change of Policy Refused. The convention in the afternoon passed resolutions asking the Republican members of the house to take steps to insure the passage of a high license law, and pledging themselves to induce the Republican party to abandon the policy of prohibition. Last night a committee presented these resolutions to a caucus of the Republican members of the house. The caucus held a secret session and named a committee to draft resolutions in reply, which will declare against any change in the existing laws. It seems to be beyond doubt that this legislature will not pass any bill modifying the prohibition policy.

BYNUM TALKS ON POLITICS.

He Is a Cleveland Man and Believes in His Candidate.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 29.—William D. Bynum, congressman from Indiana, was asked by a reporter: "What do you think of Cleveland's chances for the presidential nomination?" "I think they are improving every day. I can not express an opinion as to whether or not he will be nominated, for the condition of things is constantly changing. I can say, however, that he is very strong in the west, and is constantly growing stronger. Indiana's delegation to the national convention will probably cast a complimentary vote for Gray."

How About Hill?

"I thought at one time that Hill's prospects for the presidential nomination were good. His methods and his talents, however, do not seem to be as direct as the people desire and look for in a presidential candidate. I do not know as his southern trip has done him any good or any harm, but it has probably confirmed the people in the belief that he was pursuing the presidency with too much zeal and too little discretion. I think Cleveland can carry New York."

Fifer Carries the Primaries.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., March 29.—The Republican primaries for the selection of delegates to the county convention were held last night, and the Fifer forces, under the direction of Adjutant General Reece and Jim Paddock, secretary of the railroad and warehouse commission, won a sweeping victory. Fifer secured six of the seven wards, and is understood to divide the other ward with Hunt. Pavey and Pearson also seem to have carried the city and Tanner has a few delegates. In one ward instructions for the latter were voted down. Callom got instructions in one ward and H. Clay Wilson got the best of the fight over the legislative contest. Out of 128 delegates of which the county convention will be composed Fifer's friends claim 100 or more.

McKinley Not in the Race.

COLUMBUS, Mo., March 29.—For the second time in his career Governor McKinley has declined to place himself in the way of presidential nomination. Last night he authorized The Dispatch to announce definitely that he is not a candidate for the Republican nomination for the presidency this year, and his manner in making the statement, as well as the positive words, left no room for doubt as to his intentions. He expressed himself emphatically in favor of Harrison's renomination.

A National Silver Convention.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—General Warner, chairman of the national silver committee, is going to call a national silver convention to be held probably at St. Louis or some other central point within the next two months. His idea is to secure a vigorous expression on the subject of silver with the hope that it will have some influence on the Chicago and Minneapolis conventions.

Ready to Bet on Cleveland.

NEW YORK, March 29.—During a conversation yesterday in this city Senator William L. Brown said Cleveland was the man for the Democrats to nominate. Said he: "Grove Cleveland, if nominated for president, will sweep the state of New York. I will bet \$25,000 within twenty-five minutes after his nomination that he is elected."

For Cleveland by a Large Majority.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 29.—Reports have been received from seventy-five of the eighty counties of Minnesota as to the delegates chosen to the Democratic state convention on Thursday to choose delegates to the Chicago convention. Of the 49 delegates so far chosen 400 are instructed for Cleveland.

Fatally Struck by Lightning.

CRAWFORDVILLE, Ind., March 29.—Captain Isaac W. Jones was driving through a thunder storm Sunday evening when lightning struck a tree near by. The shock landed driver, team, and wagon in a heap on the road. When he recovered consciousness two hours later he was lying under the wagon and fatally injured, but managed to crawl to a neighboring farmhouse, where he died. He was a prominent member of the Grand Army post.

That Much Wanted Mr. Soule.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa, March 29.—Frederick A. Soule, the much wanted Chicago man, has gone. He took a west-bound train from Omaha. Mr. Soule is still here, but expects to leave soon for California, where, it is said, she expects to recuperate her health.

NOVEL SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Case of a Woman Who Is Determined to Have After a Pension.

PATERSON, N. J., March 29.—A lawyer here has under advisement the application of a woman for a divorce from a dead man. Her first husband enlisted in the war and was killed; she married again and at the death of her second husband she ascertained that her second marriage deprived her of the benefits of the law. Subsequently she learned that her second marriage was bigamous, husband No. 2 having a wife living at the time of his marriage to her. This marriage, she thinks, can be set aside as null and void, and then she will be able to procure a widow's pension.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

Mrs. Rosenfeldt, an "Americaine," won \$12,000 at Monte Carlo.

The Republican convention of Missouri will be held at Jefferson City on April 27 and 28.

The house committee to investigate the World's fair has left Washington for Chicago.

The Garza "uprising" on the Mexican border is at an end, but Garza is still uncaptured.

Edmond Turner, colored, died near the village of Tennessee Colony, Tex., at the age of 104.

H. O. Peterson, treasurer of Hennepin county, Minn., has been suspended on charges of irregularities in office.

James Wade, of Sterling, Ills., was killed by blows from a billiard cue in the hands of a man named Johnson.

It is reported from New York that leading manufacturers are endeavoring to organize an umbrella trust. This branch of manufacturers amounts to \$18,000,000 a year.

M. L. Fisher, of Hill county, Tex., was shot and killed by his son-in-law, Thomas W. Mash. The murderer has given himself up.

Mrs. Myra Bradwell, of Chicago, editor of The Legal News, has been admitted to practice law in the United States supreme court.

Ex-Representative Warner, of Ohio, says that Arthur P. Gorman is the man for the Democrats to nominate, with Bacon or Gray as running mate.

Mrs. C. T. Tucker, of Trinidad, Colo., killed herself by taking poison in her room last Friday night, and her body was not found until Sunday night.

General Ciera, who attempted to lead a movement against the new president of Honduras, and who fled to the mountains to escape arrest, has committed suicide.

The ways and means committee of the house of representatives has reported favorably a bill reducing the duty on tin plate, and abolishing it altogether after 1904.

Jeremiah Cotto, the Italian who murdered Louis Frankelstein in Brooklyn last July, was executed by electricity at Sing Sing. Cotto was dead in less than three minutes.

A woman in Paterson, N. J., is trying to get a divorce from her second husband, who is dead. Her object is to get a pension as a widow of her first husband, who was killed in the war.

The primary education bill before the German Reichstag, which caused so much opposition throughout Germany, and precipitated a cabinet crisis, has been withdrawn by the government.

General Superintendent Leighton says that the Illinois and Michigan canal will be officially opened for navigation from Chicago to La Salle on Friday, April 1 next. Boats will be allowed to draw four feet eight inches.

The jury failed to agree in the case of Robert J. Cascardi, at Philadelphia, who shot Policeman Findley when the latter caught him committing a burglary last December, and the judge told the members that they were a disgrace to society and lacked average intelligence.

The Weather We May Expect.

WASHINGTON, March 29.—The following are the weather indications for twenty-four hours from 8 p. m. yesterday: For Illinois and Indiana—Fair, generally warmer weather with decreasing southerly winds. For Michigan—Warmer, generally fair weather; wind shifting to southerly. For Wisconsin—Warmer, fair weather; brisk and high southerly wind; showers to-night or to-morrow. For Iowa—Fair weather, with warm southerly winds colder by to-morrow morning, with local showers.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, March 29.—Follows were the quotations on the board of trade today: Wheat—No. 2 March, opened 75½c, closed 75c; May, opened 75½c, closed 75c; July, opened 75½c, closed 75c; September, opened 75½c, closed 75c; December, opened 75½c, closed 75c.

Corn—No. 2 March, opened 35½c, closed 35c; May, opened 35½c, closed 35c; July, opened 35½c, closed 35c; September, opened 35½c, closed 35c; December, opened 35½c, closed 35c.

Oats—No. 2 March, opened 25½c, closed 25c; May, opened 25½c, closed 25c; July, opened 25½c, closed 25c; September, opened 25½c, closed 25c; December, opened 25½c, closed 25c.

Barley—No. 2 March, opened 45½c, closed 45c; May, opened 45½c, closed 45c; July, opened 45½c, closed 45c; September, opened 45½c, closed 45c; December, opened 45½c, closed 45c.

Flour—No. 2 March, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; May, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; July, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; September, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; December, opened 1.15, closed 1.14.

Wool—No. 2 March, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; May, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; July, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; September, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; December, opened 1.15, closed 1.14.

Butter—No. 2 March, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; May, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; July, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; September, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; December, opened 1.15, closed 1.14.

Eggs—No. 2 March, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; May, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; July, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; September, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; December, opened 1.15, closed 1.14.

Pork—No. 2 March, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; May, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; July, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; September, opened 1.15, closed 1.14; December, opened 1.15, closed 1.14.

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The Agricultural Interest.

When the farmers are prosperous, all the people prosper. They are the great middle class, the conservators of the nation. As long as a land is held by the cultivators a nation flourishes. When it gets into the hands of capitalists, and the farmer becomes a mere renter, then the trouble begins. This is a truth as old as the world. The farmer does right, therefore, when he speaks of his high destiny. The time is coming when farmers will control the politics of the country. They should, therefore, take care of their health as individuals. They are liable as a class, to certain diseases like pneumonia, which are often neglected from the difficulty of obtaining medical attendance in time. If the farmer will but keep Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure on hand and take it whenever he is exposed to cold he will never be troubled with these complaints. For sale by all druggists.

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He consulted Dr. Krause in regard to his headaches, and to quote the doctor's words as I direct, no matter what the cause. You will find the frequency of the attack will diminish and by taking the capsules when you feel the approach of a headache you will never have another."

The patient was practically cured and with his permission I prepared, and sell what I have seen fit to call Krause's Headache Capsules to Headache victims. For sale by H. E. Donaldson.

It is a fixed and immutable law that to have good, sound health, one must have pure rich and abundant blood. There is no shorter nor surer route than by a course of DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. D. S. Horton, Druggist.

Soft coal that burns as clear as wood is nice, and Pitcher sells it. dw

Babies.

Every mother knows how disagreeable and annoying rash or any other skin eruptions is to her babe during the winter months, when the child gets so little fresh air. Hot Springs Skin Salve is the thing for it. For sale by H. E. Donaldson, Druggist.

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Fell Dead.

These words are very familiar to our readers, as not a day passes without the report of the sudden death of some prominent citizen. The explanation is "Heart Disease." Therefore beware if you have any of the following symptoms: Short Breath, Pain in Side, Smothering Spells, Swollen Ankles, Asthmatic Breathing, Weak and Hungry Spells, Tenderness in Shoulder or Arm, Fluttering of Heart or Irregular Pulse. These symptoms mean heart disease. The most reliable remedy is Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, which has saved thousands of lives. Book of testimonials free at Tilson & Hayden's, who also sell the New Heart Cure.

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TRAINS GOING WEST.

No 1 Overland Limited.....A.....1:25 a.m.	
No 7 Pacific Express.....C.....2:05 a.m.	
No 11 Sterling Passenger.....C.....12:25 p.m.	
No 3 Omaha Express.....C.....3:25 p.m.	
No 9 Sterling Passenger.....C.....7:39 p.m.	
No 5 Denver Limited.....A.....8:57 p.m.	
No 35 Clinton Freight.....C.....6:42 a.m.	

TRAINS GOING EAST.

No 8 Atlantic Express.....A.....8:25 a.m.	
No 6 Denver Limited.....C.....9:22 a.m.	
No 10 Sterling Passenger.....C.....6:55 a.m.	
No 2 Overland Limited.....A.....9:16 a.m.	
No 4 Chicago Express.....C.....10:30 a.m.	
No 12 Clinton Passenger.....C.....2:22 p.m.	
No 16 Freight.....C.....7:42 p.m.	

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GOING SOUTH.

Passenger.....11:11 a.m.	
Freight.....3:25 p.m.	
LaSalle.....6:20 a.m.	
Freight.....6:10 p.m.	
Freight.....9:00 p.m.	

GOING NORTH.

Passenger.....9:55 a.m.	
LaSalle.....6:20 a.m.	
Passenger.....2:25 p.m.	
Freight.....6:10 a.m.	
Freight.....9:00 a.m.	

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One lot 28 and 30-inch long all-wool Bedford Cord Recker Jackets, in black and two shades of tan at \$5. a garment that would readily sell at \$6.50. At 7.50, \$10 and \$12. We offer equally good values that are well worth looking at.

WEATHER REPORT.

From science department N. I. N. S., for 24 hours ending at 2 o'clock to-day.

Time.....	9:00 P.M.	7:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Temperature.....	36°	36°	57°

*Maximum Temperature.....59
*Minimum Temperature.....34
*Precipitation.....0

*Highest since 9 o'clock last night.
*Lowest since 9 o'clock last night.
*Rain or snow fall. Trace, less than .01 inch.

A. O. CLARK, Observer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I am a candidate for Representative to the General Assembly, subject to the decision of the County Republican Convention.
d.w. W. I. GUFFIN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of State's attorney, subject to the action of the Lee County Republican convention.
JAMES F. SANFORD.

I am a candidate for the office of State's Attorney, subject to the action of the Lee County Republican convention.
d.w. CLYDE SMITH.

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of State's Attorney, subject to the action of the Lee County Republican Convention.
d.w. CHARLES B. MORRISON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the Lee County Republican convention.
d.w. IRA W. LEWIS.

I hereby announce that I am still in the race for collector, and will be until the polls close.
AUSTIN MORSE.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of collector for the Township of Dixon at the coming election, and respectfully ask for the support of my friends.
JOSEPHUS F. FISH.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector and will hope for the support of his friends at the next Township election.
CONRAD W. KENTNER.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of collector for the Township of Dixon at the April election, and respectfully request the support of my friends.
FRANK A. SWEITZER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of collector for the Township of Dixon at the April election, and respectfully request the support of my friends.
JOHN COFFEY.

CHARLES K. OSBORN would announce to his many friends that he is still in the race for Collector of Taxes, the report to the contrary, notwithstanding, and hopes by their liberal support to be there at the final round up.

Ranch King to night at Opera House.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

Hon. L. W. Mitchell Declines With Thanks
-He Leaves the Field Clear
for Guffin.

To The Republicans of Lee County:-

A number of anonymous communications relative to who shall be the Republican candidate for Representative in Lee county, have appeared in the county papers. In fact, so much has been written and spoken on this subject that it seems to me I should make a brief statement of my position and intentions.

Until quite recently it appeared that I would be nominated for second term without opposition. However, much as my friends desired and expected this to occur, "a strong and active politician" has entered the field, asking the republicans of Lee county to make him their candidate.

When I state I lived in Illinois forty-five years before seeking or holding an office, I think you will believe me when I say that political preferment is not essential to my happiness.

When a very poor boy my brightest day-dream was to go work and live that I might have a happy home and the confidence and esteem of my neighbors. My boyhood dream has been more than realized. I enjoy the reality too well to be from it all summer, attempting to undo the work of a strong and active politician. And even should I succeed it would only result in taking me from home during the winter which, added to the canvass and fall campaign, would amount to a year or more to forego home enjoyments. To a man of my age and tastes it appears as foregoing too much for even a seat in the thirty-eighth General Assembly of the great State of Illinois.

I believe it is usual for members to ask to be returned for a second or third term that they may have the opportunity to complete some unfinished work. I make no such excuse. When the gavel fell for final adjournment my work was all completed, or left so that my successor, whoever he may be, could take it up at the point where I laid it down.

Sometimes members say that they wish to be returned that their course may be vindicated. I need no vindication, as no act of mine has been questioned. Again, members wish to be returned as a reward for their faithful services. I ask no such reward. The honor of representing Lee County, and the conscious knowledge of having done my duty, and that those whom I represented are satisfied with my services, unite to make up all the reward I desire.—I am content, I am not a candidate for reelection.

To the Republicans throughout the County who have so kindly offered me their support, should I wish to be returned, when I say, from my heart, I thank you. I have but poorly expressed the gratitude I feel.

L. W. MITCHELL.

Woosung, March 28, 1892.

-A genuine March day.

-Charles Furley, of Prairieville, is on our streets to-day.

-Miss Hattie Russell has been visiting friends at Amboy.

-C. F. Starbuck, of Jersey City, spent Sunday at the R. L. Morton residence.

-There will be a rush for seats when the Henderson Minstrel chart is opened.

-Seats for the Henderson Minstrels will be on sale Saturday morning at Truman's.

-O. H. Brown purchased through the F. E. Wright agency, a lot in Parson's Addition.

-Eugene Seymour, who is connected with the Keely institute at Dwight, is in the city on a visit with his cousin Will Drynan.

-Miss Nellie Gantz and Nan Hunt will render a violin duet at the Y. P. S. C. E. sociable at the J. V. Thomas home this evening.

-Billie Drynan is sorry that he reciprocated with a blow when a horse bit him severely on the arm while walking on the street. Billie hit the animal in the mouth and cut his hand badly on its teeth.

-The finding of the jury in the Siebolt lynching case at Darlington, Wis., that the lynchers were all insane was an odd example how a jury can adapt their leanings to the requirements of the law.

-Jesse Ludewick has secured the agency of Kane county for the New York Life Insurance Company, under C. W. Schick, of this city, and is now at work in that territory. Mrs. Ludewick will remain in Dixon for the present at least.

-The Chicago Tribune is anxious regarding the absence of our former fellow citizen as is indicated by this one line: "Return, O wandering Soule, return!"

The editor don't appear to recognize the French in the pronunciation of Fred's name.

-The auditing committee of Dixon township, consisting of Justices Watts and Baker, Town Clerk McKenney and Supervisor Smith met this morning in the City Council rooms and audited the accounts of the township for the past six months.

-The Barnes & Summers' Players opened their weeks stay with a performance of "Hearts of Gold," at the Opera House last evening. There was a large audience present and the work of Miss R. ming and Messrs. Barnes & Summers and Little Edna, was highly praised. Tae "Ranch King" will be given this evening.

-There are nine funny comedians, four clog dancers, six of Dixon's noted singers, four song and dance artists in Henderson's Minstrels. See and hear them on the night of April 5.

-The life-sized crayon portrait in Truman & Co's window is a true likeness of the subject, Mrs. James Carney's sister. The work was done by Mrs. W. J. Downing, who is prepared to do similar work at a reasonable price. Orders may be left with Truman & Co.

Probate Court.

Ruth Hart, claims allowed.
Samuel Risley, report of sale of real estate filed and approved.

James Healey, James H. Healey appointed administrator under bonds of \$2,000.

Marriage Licenses.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	AGE.
Christian Zies,	Ashton,	26
Lizzie Pfeising,	"	21
Marshall E. Huff,	Maroa,	32
Harriet Rutledge,	"	29
James A. Schell,	Ohio,	33
Anna L. Havens,	"	28
L. G. Ackerman,	Bradford,	29
Annie M. Bauer,	"	32
John H. Johnson,	Willow Creek,	24
Betsy Salomonson,	"	20
Robert M. Wilcox,	Elva,	21
Mary E. Leahy,	Hahnman,	21

From Sublette.

The remains of Mrs. Eelch, of Arlington, a sister of Jacob Michaels, were brought here last Thursday for interment in the Catholic cemetery.

Chas. Gardner, who came home sick from Denver, is still under the doctor's care.

Sophie and Frank Gardner came out from Chicago last Saturday.

Our Baptist friends have been improving the looks of their property by trimming the trees around their church.

Mrs. Garret, of Ashton, has been visiting friends and relatives here the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Ireland, of Ashton, and her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Wilder, of Belding, Michigan, are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Emily A'Neal, of Ashton, is spending a few days with the friends of her childhood.

Will Walters, of Aurora, is visiting his parents.

There is to be a maple sugar festival in the Congregational church next Friday evening.

J. B. B.

From Woosung.

James P. Wilson is drawing lumber for a new barn.

Harry Williams purchased a valuable road horse near Clinton, Iowa. The horse was shipped to Dixon by rail.

J. T. McGrath is placing a new veranda on his house.

Horace Lee, a former Palmyra boy now a resident of King-ley, Iowa, is visiting friends at Sugar Grove.

Miss Mamie Ackert given "Goody Two Shoe" party to her young friends on Monday evening last.

F. E. Ackert spent last week with his parents.

Miss Dora Anderson has been suffering from a severe cold.

Peter Gigous has rented Mrs. Curren's farm.

The political pot has commenced to fume. One candidate has boiled over, while many others are much grieved to think that their's may be a sadder fate.

Ellis Williams is visiting his old home in Palmyra.

At the sale of C. H. Hughes in Palmyra on Thursday last cows sold as high as seventy-five dollars.

A very extensive program has been arranged for the literary Wednesday evening, Mar. 30. A paper reading will take the place of the debate. The paper known as the "Woosung Astonisher" will be edited by M. H. Brimblecom and Miss Mamie Ackert and will, no doubt, contain many jokes of a most laughable nature. Now good people watch and wait. It will be your turn next.

Miss Agnes Murphy, of Dixon, spent the Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGrath.

Mrs. Charles Curran, formerly a resident of Woosung, spent Sunday in Polo.

From the Sterling Gazette.

George Collins remained very close to his home yesterday and did the honors of host to his father, who was down from Dixon for a visit.

Wesley Howell, of Dixon, has put in his name with several other gentlemen of that city for a mark of favor from Sterling's good looking girls. The entire outfit spent Sunday in our city.

Big Cut.

Ohio Peerless Portraits. In order to introduce our portraits in this city, we will sell this week only at a discount of twenty-five per cent.

EUGENE TUTTLE,
General Manager.

Ohio Peerless Portraits are the best.

Do you want a portrait? Drop a postal to Eugene Tuttle, (care of the DAILY TELEGRAPH), and he will call on you.

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Mrs. Brady wishes to call the attention of the ladies of Dixon and vicinity to her well selected stock of Spring millinery.

Grand display of Pattern Hats at my opening, Friday and Saturday, April 1st and 2d, 1892.

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Best soap ever sold for 5 cents a cake.

Garden Seed.

A large line at

451-1 M. GEO. D. LAING'S.

We will during this week sell at private sale at cost any or all of the stock remaining in the store, including silver ware, rings, etc.

Mrs. ROBT.
R. S. FARRAND.

Schweinberg & Aschenbrenner are authorized by Albert Null to collect all money's due him and receipt for same.

Mrs. E. E. Smith has a new and well selected stock of Spring goods. Everything in the millinery line. Full line of patterns and hats fresh from New York.

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For full particulars regarding course of study, graduations, recitals, etc., apply to

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